A Persian Romance. A Persian plaque in the South Ken-sington museum, London, bears by means of clever relief and brilliant color a romantic tale, part legend and part history. Nobody knows the proportion of each.

At all events, it is declared to be an incident in the life of Baharam V of the Sassanian dynasty. Baharam, according to legend and plaque, was a wonderful archer. During one of his hunting expeditions, on which his fa-vorite wife had accompanied him, he shot a sleeping antelope with such precision as to graze the animal's ear. The antelope awoke and, believing himself annoyed by a fly, put his hind himself annoyed by a hy, but his hind hoof to his ear to strike off the fly. A second arrow sent by the royal hand fixed the antelope's hoof to his horn.

The king's wife merely said, "Practice makes perfect," which touched the pride of her royal spouse.

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pride of her royal spouse. Indeed, as the penalty for her plain speaking, she was sent out into the ountains to perish, but instead found shelter in a village. Here she lodged in an upper room ascended by 20 steps and, having bought a calf, carried it up and down every day. The king, passing by four years later, was amazed at seeing a young woman carrying a cow up a flight of 20 steps. The lady again took occasion to remark, "Prac tice makes perfect," whereupon she unveiled, was recognized and restored Old Point and North

An Insult Well Handled. You can always trust the American woman to take care of herself. The friends of a girl who lives in Eight-eenth street are telling these days of an adventure which befell her one afternoon within the fortnight. She was standing, this Eighteenth street girl, at the corner of F and Eleventh streets waiting for a girl friend. A very dapper young man, a stranger doubtless in the town-for most Washingtonians are too well aware of the girl's social eminence to venture on any impertinence to her-stepped up, bowed and said airily:
"Waiting for somebody?"

The girl turned to look at him. "Guess you've forgotten me," he went on with growing familiarity. "I saw you at a dinner last week." The girl looked at him steadily for a

"Oh, I remember now," she said. "It was at Colonel Blank's. You are Colonel Blank's butler, of course. No, I don't know of anybody who wants butler. Have you tried the employ-ment agencies?"

And then, slowly and calmly, she walked away.-Washington Post.

Tallow Candles as Medicine. In France the peasantry still stick to medicines calculated to turn the average doctor's hair gray with horror.

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Some are pathetic. A mother, for ce often burles her dead child with its favorite toy or a lock of her own hair in the coffin, "that it may not feel quite alone."

The Wrong Day.

The heartless landlord has come t evict the widow with 18 children, many of whom are teething. But at the threshold the woman

"Why not?" asks the landlord, with pardonable curlosity.

.waves him back imperiously.

"Not today!" she cries.

"Because," the woman replied, "no pitiless storm of rain mingled with ley

sleet rages without." The landlord grinds his teeth in im-

potent rage. He may trample under foot the promptings of his better na ture, but not the conventionalities established by long usage.-Detroit Jour-

Not His Destination. A steamer was stopped in the mouth of the river owing to a dense sea fog. 'An old lady inquired of the captain the

cause of the delay. "Can't see up the river," replied the captain.
"But I can see the stars overhead,"

continued the old lady. "Yes; but until the bollers bust we

ain't a-going that way."-World's Com-Happiness.

Human happiness, according to the most received notions, seems to consist of three ingredients, action, pleasure and indolence. And though these ingredients ought to be mixed in different proportions, according to the par ticular disposition of the person, yet no one ingredient can be entirely wanting without destroying in some measure the relish of the whole composition.

Habit hath so vast a prevalence over the human mind that there is scarcely anything too strange or too strong to be asserted of it. The story of the ser who, from being long accustom ed to cheat others, came at last to chest himself and with great delight and tripmph picked his own pocket of nes to convey to his hoard is not possible or improbable.

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ents, and you will trust him with all "My dear sir," exclaimed Wholesale, 'you are paying too much. You won't nave any capital left with which to

ommence business again." Where apon the creditless retailer went his wondering who originated the proverb, "Honesty is the best policy,"
-New York Observer.

"You can bet it is always a fool for nek," said the man who has had his iose to the grindstone all his life. "Now, there was Jack Shane of Tensee, who drew \$25,000 in a lottery, lack didn't know enough to go in out of the wet, but he had a little money, nd he bought a ticket that won, while got ten and didn't fetch a cent. The vinning number was 42 and when 1 d to take that number. 'Well,' ald, 'you see, it was this way: I had a fream one night, and I dreamed that the door of my room opened all of a sudden and a big number seven walked in. Then right after it came other sevens and more and more till the room was chuck full and I was about smothred under them. Then I woke up and began thinking it over. I knowed that one seven wasn't the number to draw nor 77 nor 7,777, for there was a million of them, and no lottery had that many numbers. But I figured awhile and at last made up my mind that sev en times seven was 42, and 42 was the number, so I drawed that one. That vas all there was to it.

"Now," concluded the talker, "if that isn't a case of a fool for luck what the dickens is it?"-Washington Star.

The most savage specimen of the erab species is found in Japan, seeming to dream of nothing but fighting-to delight in nothing half so much. The minute he sples another of his kind he scrapes his claws together in rage. o death

But he does not beg for mercy or attempt to run away, only feebly rubbing his claws together in defiance of the foe. That foe comes closer, and, with his claws trembling with joy at his victory, the conqueror catches hold of one claw of the vanquished crab, twists it until it comes off, and bears away the palpitating limb as a trophy of his prowess. Such is a battle between warrier crabs.

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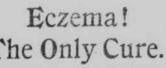
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